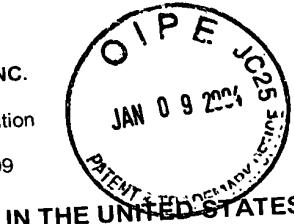


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 New fee as calculated below  Supplemental Declaration  
 No additional fee (Address envelope to "Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendments")  
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TOTAL CLAIMS	20	MINUS	35	= 0	X 18	\$ 0.00
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EXTENSION FEE	1 <sup>ST</sup> MONTH 110.00 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	2 <sup>ND</sup> MONTH 420.00 <input type="checkbox"/>	3 <sup>RD</sup> MONTH 950.00 <input type="checkbox"/>	4 <sup>TH</sup> MONTH 1480.00 <input type="checkbox"/>	OTHER FEES	\$ 110.00
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT						\$ 110.00

Charge \$110 to Deposit Account 50-1078. At any time during the pendency of this application, please charge any fees required or credit any over payment to Deposit Account 50-1078 pursuant to 37 CFR 1.25. Additionally please charge any fees to Deposit Account 50-1078 under 37 CFR 1.16, 1.17, 1.19, 1.20 and 1.21. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,  
Glenn H. Rankin et al.

By F. J. S. —

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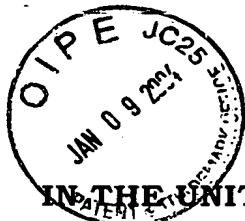
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Sir:

The outstanding non-final Office Action mailed September 8, 2003 has been carefully considered. In response thereto, please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.

**AUTHORIZATION TO DEBIT ACCOUNT**

It is not believed that extensions of time or fees for net addition of claims are required, beyond those which may otherwise be provided for in documents accompanying this paper. However, in the event that additional extensions of time are necessary to allow consideration of this paper, such extensions are hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), and any fees required therefor (including fees for net addition of claims) are hereby authorized to be charged to deposit account no. 50-1078.

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